

Application No.: 10/701,045
Reply to Office Action of October 20, 2004

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

The above-identified patent application has been amended and re-examination and reconsideration are hereby requested.

Formal drawings are attached as required by the Examiner.

Corrections to the specification have been made as required by the Examiner.

Claims 1-4, 7-10 and 15-17 have been cancelled.


Claims 5, 11 and 18 have been re-written in independent form.

In the event a petition for extension of time is required by this paper and not otherwise provided, such petition is hereby made and authorization is provided herewith to charge deposit account No. 50-3192 for the cost of such extension.

In the event any additional fee is required, please charge such amount to Patent and Trademark Office Deposit Account No. 50-3192.

Respectfully submitted,

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Amendments to the Drawings:

Proposed replacement drawings are attached. The replacement drawings are formal drawings as required by the Examiner.

Attachment: Replacement, formal, drawings